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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In repplication of

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For:

ANALYSIS OF AGONIST-ACTIVITY AND ANTAGONIST-ACTIVITY TO

CYTOKININ RECEPTOR

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 14, 2005 to January 17, 2006 (January 14th being a Saturday, and Monday, January 16th, being a federal holiday).

A check for the statutory fee of \$1020.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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